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1. EMAC ANNOUNCED OCT 19 ESTABLISHMENT OF MILITARY TRIBUNALS TO TRY FORMER GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS CHARGED WITH CORRUPTION AND ABUSE OF POWER. ONE SUPREME TRIBUNAL WILL BE FORMED FOR ENTIRE COUNTRY CONSISTING OF FIVE JUDGES, SEVEN ALTERNATES, REGISTRAR AND PROSECUTORS. AT SAME TIME, DISTRICT (AWRAJA/WOREDA) LEVEL TRIBUNALS OF THREE JUDGES, TWO ALTERNATES AND PROSECUTORS WILL BE CREATED TO TRY LOCAL CORRUPTION CASES. END UNCLASSIFIED.

2. BEGIN CONFIDENTIAL. NO NAMES OF TRIBUNAL MEMBERS HAVE YET BEEN ANNOUNCED. HOWEVER, UNTESTED AFCC SOURCE REPORTS THAT TRIALS ARE SCHEDULED TO BEGIN O/A OCT 29 IN OLD MENELIK
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